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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE

Commissioner for Patents
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Dear Sir:

This communication is responsive to the Office Action mailed on December 1, 2005. Amendments to the claims begin on page 2. Remarks begin on page 6. Three (3) new claims (claims 39 to 41) are added but no fees are believed due because the initial application was submitted with fees paid for 8 independent claims and 38 total claims and the current application includes five (5) independent claims and nine (9) total claims.